PRICE TWO CENTS.

THIS IS BARGAIN DAY IN RICHMOND. READ THE MERCHANTS' OFFERS

INGTON, June 22.—Forecast for in and Friday; in—Fair Thursday; Friday fair, in interior; light to fresh north

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near Kal-Chow and to have heavy losses; big battle in northern part of the Liao Tung peninsula imminent and important naval developments expected; entrance to Port Arthur still closed and the warehips denuded of their bir guize. Thirty-seven bodies of viotims of Slocum disaster taken from river yesteritay; testimony in coroner's inquest shows illopreservers to have been antiquated. President Alderman, of Tulane University, on his way to Charlottesvills to confer with Board of Visitors as to his acceptance of presidency of University of Virginia.—Ransom will be sent to Raisull be released as soon as this is done. Fire in Paterson, N. J., causes damage to extent of \$599,000—Secret service men make raid on counterfeiters in Seattle, Wash.—Many people make application for position on Panama Canal work.—Ready-made clothing men go on strike in New York—Charitles conference concludes its sessions in Portland.—Two men killed by explosion on yacht in New York bay—America will make settlement with Turks by use of diplomacy.

SCHOONER RUNS AGROUND AND REPORTED LEAKING

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, June 22.—The threemasted schooner Jesse Barlow, of
liyannis, Mass., went aground on Fire
Island to-day while making for Fire
Island Inlet on her way to Patchogue,
I. I., with a cargo of tumber from
Bogue Injet, S. C. Life savers, who have
returned from the vessel, report that
she is leaking. The Barlow is no command of Captain Bennett, and is owned
by J. B. Barlow, of Hyannis, Mass.

WANT HELP TO-DAY.

The 13 advertisements for help pub lished in to-day's Times-Dispaton or page 10 are as follows:

2 Agents. 5 Miscellaneous. 3 Domestics. 2 Trades. 1 Office Help.

This not only interests those out of work, but those desiring to improve their posicions as well.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY'S NEWS SPEAKER CANNON STIRS CONVENTION;

"Uncle Joe" Causes Enthusiasm to Burst Forth and Is Cheered Heartily.

HE IS PERMANENT CHAIRMAN

(By Associated Press.) CHICAGO, June 22.—Because Speaker Joseph G. Cannon was the central figure, the proceedings of the Republican Nayesterday was looked for in vain. From made a speech and the audience cheered whether he spoke jocularly or in serious

From the standpoint of political import ance, the adoption of the party platform was the event of the day. It contained declarations of party policy for the com-

The Wisconsin Matter Discussed
The report of the Committee on Credentials interested the convention only so far as it dealt with the Wisconsin situation. Senator McComas, of Maryland, chairman of the committee, read a report of the investigation of the contest. He took the delegates into the confidence of the committee and explained that a thorough canvass was made into the merits of the contest, despite the fact that he contestants had withdrawn their claims on the ground that fair treatment could not he had. He said the imputation was di-Spooner and Quaries, Representative Bab-cock and Judge Emil Baensch, the four delegates at large, is the regular Republican party in Wisconsin. This national endorsement of the faction headed by the two United States senators from that State evoked prolonged applause.

reduction of the representations southern States in the electoral college, and in Congress. It is built upon what is known as the Payne resolution, offered eight years ago, and the Quay resolution of four years ago, but goes further than either. The plank directs an investigation to ascertain whether there have been unconstitutional disfranchisements of voters in any State, and if so demands a reduction of the representation of such States in Congress, with the consequent reduction in the electoral college, and in national conventions.

The full significance of pledges for the continuance of the provisions of Chinese exclusion act and for the furtherance of all legitimate efforts to obtain for American citizens abroad, without discrimination, the rights of sojourn and travel, was not appreciated when read to the convention.

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Was an Inspiring Scene.

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MRS. MASON DIES OF HER WOUNDS



Only Contest of Day's Proceedings Is Over the Number of Hawaiian Delegates.

Visitors were not so early about con-vention hall, but when Mr. Root called

FOR PARKER TO DO WORK

The Government Printing Office Signs Contract With Mergenthaler Linotype Company.

(From Our Regular Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, D. C., June 22.-A con-tract was signed to-day between Public Printer Palmer and the Mergenthaler Linotype Company for the purchase of typesetting machines to be used in the Sovernment Printing Office. Within sixty days forty-five machines and thirty-four duplex attachments will be placed in the Government Printing Office. Besides these, the printing division of the library will have seven machines. This is done at the instance of Librarian Putnam, of HER WOUNDS

Much Sympathy Felt for Her
Family and the Minister Who
Accidentally Shot Her.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., June 22—
Mrs. John E. Mason, who was accidentally shot Saturday morning by Rev.
Decatur Edwards, who fired at a cat which was molesting his chickens, died this evening. Mrs. Mason never regained consciousness after she was struck by the bullet. She is survived by the rushand and three children—Mrs. W. P. Johnson, Mrs. John Chether and one single daty, ther.

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Much Sympathy is felt for the stricken family and for Mr. Edwards who is a Baptist minister, and has charge of several churches, who is bowed down in discress over the faral result of the accidental shooting. Mr. Edwards did not know that the ball fired at the cat had wounded his neighbor until two hours after the occurrence. who was accustomed to the use of typesetting machines while he was librarian

Texas Democratic Convention Mrs. Wheatfield Received Small Instructs Delegation to Vote

SENATOR HENRY CABOT LODGE, The Man Who Wrote the Republican Platform.

for New York Judge.

(By Associated Press.)
SAN ANTONIO, June 22.—The State
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Parker and to vote as a unit on all
questions. A feeling of party unanimity
and earnesiness ruled throughout. The
platform adopted was short, embracing
merely an enunciation of Democratic fundamental principles.

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There was vigorous and successful opposition to a minority report proposing a plank declaring against asset currency and the control of money by national business.

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On recommitment the platform was made to contain the words: "We are opposed to unit currency and the control of the volume of money by the banking power."

A motion that the delegates at St. Louis be instructed to place Senator Balley in nomination for Vice-President was ruled out of order. Senators Culberson and Balley, Judge John H. Reagan, Hon. James B. Wells, Hon. T. D. Cobbs, of San Antonio; Judge Howard Templeton, of Sulphur Springs; Clarence Cusley, of Fort Worth, and ex-Congressman Thomas Ball were elected delegates at-large.

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BURLINGTON, VERMONT, June 22—
The Democrats of Vermont, at their State convention to-day declined to instruct the delegates to the National Convention to vote for the nomination of Judge Parker for President, but just before adjournment a motion was adopted, giving expression to the opinion that Judge Parker was the most available candidate.

The delegates were instructed to act as a unit on all questions, but were not bound outright to vote for the New York man.

But Fatal Injury While Spring Cleaning.

Spring Cleaning.

The death of Mrs. L. C. Wheatfield carly yesterday morning is puzzling the physicians of the city. Her fatal illness, which lasted only a few days and caused untoid agonies, is directly traceable to spring cleaning, and a tiny blister on one finger.

About ten days ago Mrs. Wheatfield, whose home was at No. 200 West Clay Street, decided to undertake a thorough overhauling of the house, and immediately acted on the resolution. In sweeping and other necessary work she made a blister on the ring finger of the right hand. The skin puffed up. The blister didn't hurt much, and Mrs. Wheatfield paid little attention to it, keeping on with her work. Presently the outer skin was broken.

In a short while she was taken sick. Blood poison set in, and from that moment until her death, at 7:45 o'clock yesterday morning, her sufferings were very great.

Dr. E. W. Gee attended Mrs. Wheatfield, and in the meantime a small screame upon his hand. Dr. George Ben Johnston said last night that he had seen the place. It was practically nothing, and was not caused by infection from the injury of Dr. Geo's patient. Dr. Johnston, however, said in answer to an inquiry that blood poisoning from a blister was very rare, and other physicians declared such a case was absolutely unknown to them.

The remains of Mrs. Wheatfield will be taken to Lancaster to-day for burial.

out a Dissenting Vote-Tariff Plank Incorporated.

NO ANTI-POLIGAMY CLAUSE

Move to Cut Down Representatives From States Which Have Disfranchisement Laws.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHICAGO, ILL., June 22.—The Republican national platform, with its only two important declarations, practically unintelligible, was adopted to-day enthusiastically and unanimously, having been read from the rostrum by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, full justice being done in the delivery to all the points which it was proposed by the committee to impress upon the conventhich make the issues, on which the Republicans will carry on the national cam 'combinations of capital.' as the trusts The greatest interest attached to the trust plank. It was known to be conand meaning as brought over from Boston by Benator Lodge.

happenes to be in exact line with he views of Attorney-General Knox and

Senator J. B. Foraker, of Ofile. Senator J. B. Forakor, of Ofilo.

It is known, for instance, that Knox's ideas are that there are good trusts and bad trusts, and it is equally known that Senator Forakor stands for the principle that the Sherman anti-trust law should be modified and a law passed which would exclude from prosecution "combinations of capital," or trusts which are "not in restraint of trade."

The substance of the platform declaration is that good trusts will be protected and bad trusts will be prosecuted. A mere platitude.

Attorney-General Knox and Senator drawal to Harbin with the remainder of this forces would be imperative, if, indeed, he does not find retreat out off.

The Tariff Plank.

The readjusters or revisionists or whatever the opposition to the Forker-Lodge Galliner idea might be called, were in a hopeless minority' readjustment being represented largely by Senator Nelson, of Washington; Senator Hansboroush, of North Dakota, and Alex, McKenzie, committeeman from North Dakota.

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Most of the other statements of prin-

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ALDERMAN ON HIS WAY TO VIRGINIA

Goes to Charlottesville to Confer With Board-Is Thought That He Will Accept.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

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COLUMN IS CAUGHT IN DEATH TRAP

Russians Suffer Losses Near Kai-Chow.

UNITED ARMIES TO PRESS KUROPATKIN

Japanese Report That the Russian Line Has Been Sundered Near Hai-Cheng.

BIG BATTLE IMMINENT IN NORTH PART OF PENINSULA

Believed That the Decisive Engagement Is Near at Hand. Intimations of Important Developments on

Land and

LONDON, June 22 .- The feature of the

BATTLE IS IMMINENT. Every Indication of an Early En-

gagement in Northern Part of Peninsula.

Occupation of Hai Yung Yai

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Nothing is known of the reported occupation of Hai Yung Yai Cheng (Hsi-Ung-Yao-Chonz or Si-Yung Cheng) by the Japanese. If the report should be correct, it agrees substantially with the Japanese plan of advance as it is understood here, but it indicates that the Japanese outposts are further forward than Russian advices indicate.

The general staff has received a dispatch from Gao Yang, dated to-day. It does not mention any sericus fishting. The Russian rear-guard is now at Zeh-Chen. General Kuroki's advance along the roads from Siu-Yen, leading respectively to Hai-Cheng, Ta-Che-Chou and Kai-Chou is being warmly contested by General Kuropatkin's outposts. The column heading for Kai-Chou is the furthest advanced but is still thirty miles distant. A serious collision is regarded at the War Office as unlikely for some days. General Kuroki's movements between distance of the column heading for Kai-Chou is pended at the War Office as unlikely for some days. General Kuroki's movements betway a tendency to go south and join General Oku. Kuroki's outposts are foritrying the pass between Saimtaza and Important Naval Development.